

## CHAPTER 56

## TRAINING SCHOOL FOR GIRLS

H. F. 375

AN ACT to amend section two hundred fifty-four-a twenty-three (254-a23), supplement to the code, 1913, (C. C. Sec. 2103), relating to commitments to the training school for girls.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1     **SECTION 1. Period of commitment.** That the law as it appears in  
2     section two hundred fifty-four-a twenty-three (254-a23), supplement  
3     to the code, 1913, (C. C. Sec. 2103), be and the same is hereby  
4     amended by striking out of line twenty (20) of said section the  
5     words "beyond his or her minority" and inserting in lieu therefor  
6     the following, "for a term extending beyond the time he or she  
7     reaches the age of twenty-one years".

Approved March 29, A. D. 1923.

## CHAPTER 57

## WIDOW'S PENSION

H. F. 424

AN ACT to amend and revise section two hundred fifty-four-a20 (254-a20), supplement to the code, 1913, as amended by chapter one hundred seven (107), acts of the thirty-eighth (38) general assembly, chapter fifty-one (51), acts of the thirty-ninth (39) general assembly, and chapter two hundred fifty-two (252), acts of the thirty-ninth general assembly (S. C. C. Sec. 2104), relating to financial aid to widowed mothers of dependent or neglected children.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1     **SECTION 1. Financial aid to widowed mother.** That lines eleven  
2     (11) to twenty-four (24), both inclusive, of section twenty-one  
3     hundred four (2104), supplement to the compiled code, section two  
4     hundred fifty-four-a20 (254-a20) supplement to the code as amended  
5     by chapter one hundred seven (107) acts of the thirty-eighth general  
6     assembly, chapter fifty-one (51), acts of the thirty-ninth general  
7     assembly and chapter two hundred fifty-two (252) acts of the thirty-  
8     ninth general assembly be amended and revised to read as follows:  
9     "If the court finds that the mother of such dependent or neglected  
10    child is a widow and has been for more than one year preceding the  
11    filing of the application a resident of the county where aid is applied  
12    for, and if the court further finds that such mother is poor and  
13    unable to properly care for said child, but is otherwise a proper  
14    guardian, and that it is for the welfare of such child to remain at  
15    home, the court may enter an order finding such fact and fixing an  
16    amount of money necessary to enable such mother to properly care

17 for such child, not to exceed the sum of two dollars and fifty cents  
 18 (\$2.50) per week for each child under the age of sixteen (16) years;  
 19 provided, however, that no such allowance to a widowed mother  
 20 shall be made until after ten days' written notice of application for  
 21 such order shall have been given to the board of supervisors of the  
 22 county, during which time said board of supervisors may appear  
 23 and show cause why such order should not enter. Upon the allow-  
 24 ance of such application, it shall be the duty of the county board of  
 25 supervisors, through its overseer of the poor or otherwise, to pay to  
 26 such mother at such times as said order may designate, the amount  
 27 so specified for the care of such dependent or neglected child until  
 28 further order of the court. The amount to be paid for the care of  
 29 any such child shall not exceed the sum of two and 50/100 dollars  
 30 (\$2.50) per week. No such allowance shall be effective for more  
 31 than two years, but may be renewed by making application and  
 32 showing as hereinbefore provided for original application. All allow-  
 33 ances now in effect shall cease on December 31, 1923, unless renewed  
 34 as herein provided. No allowance shall be continued after the child  
 35 shall have attained the age of sixteen (16) years, or after the mother  
 36 has remarried or after she has acquired legal residence in another  
 37 county or after she has ceased to reside in the state.

Approved April 12, A. D. 1923.

## CHAPTER 58

### WOMEN'S REFORMATORY

S. F. 358

AN ACT to amend section twenty-seven hundred thirteen-n-seven (2713-n7), supplemental supplement to the code, 1915, (C. C. Sec. 2165), relating to commitments to women's reformatory.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1     **SECTION 1. Females—when committed.** That the law as it appears  
 2 in section twenty-seven hundred thirteen-n-seven (2713-n7), supple-  
 3 mental supplement to the code 1915, (C. C. Sec. 2165), relating to  
 4 commitments to Women's Reformatory, be, and the same is hereby  
 5 amended by inserting after the word "age" in the second line of said  
 6 section and before the ",", the words "or married females under  
 7 sixteen (16) years of age".

Approved February 24, A. D. 1923.